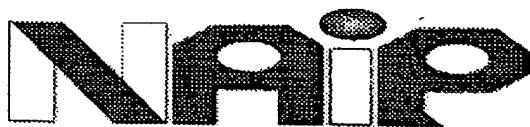


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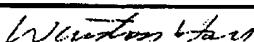
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According to the requirement set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.98 and MPEP 609, the applicant is submitting a copy of Taiwanese patent document TW 377426 (published December 21, 1999). In accordance with MPEP 609 III A(3), an English-language equivalent application may be submitted to fulfill the requirement for a concise explanation of relevance. Accordingly, the English-language equivalent US patent No. 5,991,467 of the Taiwanese patent TW 377426 is hereby listed on the accompanying form PTO/SB/08 to fulfill the 37 CFR §1.98(a)(3) requirement.

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